

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION

BEN GERMAN,

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Petitioner(s),

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Case Number: 1:08cv44

vs.

:

District Judge Susan J. Dlott

WARDEN, WARREN CORRECTIONAL
INSTITUTION,

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Respondent(s).

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ORDER

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Timothy S. Black filed on April 7, 2008(Doc. 7), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §636(b), and noting that no objections have been filed thereto and that the time for filing such objections under Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) expired April 24, 2008, hereby ADOPTS said Report and Recommendation.

Accordingly, the instant case is DISMISSED without prejudice to petitioner's refiling a habeas corpus petition that complies with this opinion.

A certificate of appealability will not issue in this case, which this Court has concluded should be dismissed on a procedural ground, because "jurists of reason would not find it debatable as to whether this Court is correct in its procedural ruling" under the first prong of the applicable two-part standard enunciated in *Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 484-85 (2000).

The Court will certify pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915 (a) that an appeal of any order adopting the Report and Recommendation will not be taken in "good faith," and, therefore,

DENY petitioner leave to appeal *in forma pauperis* upon a showing of financial necessity. *See* Fed. R. App. 24(a); *Kincade v. Sparkman*, 117 F.3d 949, 952 (6th Cir. 1997).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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s/Susan J. Dlott
Susan J. Dlott
United States District Judge